

**COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY
FOR PATENT APPLICATION**

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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name;

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled IMAGE INPUT APPARATUS

_____, the specification of which
☐ is attached hereto. ☒ was filed on March 8, 1996 as Application
No. 08/614,174

and was amended _____ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Country	Application No.	Filed (Day/Mo./Yr.)	Priority Claimed (Yes/No)
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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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ASSIGNMENT OF ENTIRE INTEREST IN AN INVENTION

WHEREAS I/we, the undersigned (hereinafter referred to ASSIGNOR), have invented a certain improvement in

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for which I am/we are about to make/have made application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, identified as
Application No. 08/614,174 filed on March 8, 1996 , and

WHEREAS CANON KABUSHIKI KAISHA

(hereinafter ASSIGNEE), a corporation duly organized under the laws of Japan, and having its principal office at

30-2, 3-chome, Shimomaruko, Ohta-ku, Tokyo, Japan
and duly represented by FUJIO MITARAI , its President, is desirous of acquiring the same.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the payment of lawful money and other consideration, the receipt of which I/we hereby acknowledge, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right for the territory of the United States of America in and to said invention as described in the specification entitled as above preparatory of obtaining Letters Patent of the United States of America therefor, and an invention to be described in a reissue, division, continuation or continuation-in-part application, if this be filed in later; said invention, application, and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE for his own use and behoof, and for his legal representative, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by me/us had this assignment and sale not been made.

Executed at Tokyo, Japan this 16th day of May, 1996.

In the presence of:

Tsukasa Uehara

By: Hisashi Kawai
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